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**Heterocenterism –** Heterocentrism is the ideology and assumption that all people are heterosexual.

**Heterosexism –** Heterosexism is the system of oppression that gives privileges to heterosexual people to the disadvantage of those who are not.

**Homophobia –** Homophobia is the fear, discomfort, or hatred of non-heterosexual people that is manifested on the individual level.

The ideology of heterocentrism creates the system of oppression (heterosexism), and both create the individual manifestation of homophobia.



